SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 213 By Beavers

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Samantha Davis, 2005 Valedictorian of Hermitage Springs High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Samantha Davis is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2005 graduating class at Hermitage Springs High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Davis has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Samantha has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in school clubs and dedicating herself to community service; she is a member of the Future Farmers of America, the FCCLA, and the Senior Beta Club and is involved in community beautification, Habitat for the Homeless, and canned food drives; and

WHEREAS, Samantha Davis' display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; she plans to attend the University of Tennessee at Martin in the fall; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Davis' noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, John and Monica Davis, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Samantha's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2005 Hermitage Springs High School Valedictorian, Samantha Davis, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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